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SUBJECT:SENTENCING OF TURKISH TERRORISTS

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1. WE RAISED QUESTION OF TURKISH TERRORISTS, ALONG
LINES REFTTEL, DURING ROUTINE MEETING WITH QUAI'S
DIRECTOR FOR AMERICAN AFFAIRS ST. LEGIER. WHILE HE HAD
NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT TRIAL TO GIVE US, HE
POINTED OUT THAT THE APPARENT LENIENCY TOWARDS THOSE
ARRESTED WAS PROBABLY RELATED TO THE FACT THAT UNDER
FRENCH LAW, THE FIRST STEP IN THE ACTUAL COMMISSION OF
A CRIME MUST HAVE BEEN TAKEN BEFORE A PERSON ACCUSED
OF CONSPIRACY MAY BE CONVICTED. HE SAID THAT FRENCH
AUTHORITIES HAD BEEN IN DIRECT CONTACT WITH TURKISH
OFFICIALS, IMPLYING THAT CONTACTS WITH THIRD COUNTRIES
ON THE CASE WOULD NOT BE APPROPRIATE. ST. LEGIER SAID
FRANCE FULLY APPRECIATES THE AMERICAN INTEREST IN
FINDING WAYS TO REDUCE THE INTERNATIONAL TERRORIST
THREAT. SHOULD THE OCCASION ARISE, WE SHALL ATTEMPT TO
GAIN MORE BACKGROUND FROM TURKISH EMBASSY OFFICIALS IN
LOW-KEY FASHION.

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